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- Amendment and Response to Final Office Action
- Petition for an Extension of Time (2 pages)
- Form PTO-2038 submitting payment in the amount of \$1,240

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TRANSMITTAL FOR REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

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Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR §
 1.114 for the above-identified application.

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____ Enter the Amendment under 37 CFR § 1.116, previously filed on ____.

____ This application is entitled to Small Entity Status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27.

B. Enclosed

☒ An Amendment and Response to Final Office Action for entry in the present application.

☒ To render this RCE timely filed, enclosed is a Petition for Two-Month Extension of Time.

☒ A Certificate of Facsimile .

____ A Request for Nonpublication of Application.

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